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Appendix A - Estimated Employment and Origin of Seasonal Hired Agricultural Workers,
by State and Selected Agricultural Reporting Area 1/
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Region, State, and agricultural reporting area	Total	U. S. Workers				Foreign				
		Total U. S. workers	Local	Intra- state	Inter- state	Contract Puerto Ricans 2/	Total foreign	Mexican	BWI	Canadian & others
<u>U. S. Totals</u>	1,188,759	1,074,895	846,367	81,986	146,542	7,004	113,864	106,077	4,442	3,345
<u>Eastern Seaboard</u>	329,436	323,607	267,738	8,350	47,519	6,968	5,829	0	3,777	2,052
<u>Connecticut</u>	6,570	5,310	4,370	0	940	780	1,260	0	1,260	0
Tobacco Valley	6,570	5,310	4,370	0	940	780	1,260	0	1,260	0
<u>Delaware</u>	3,803	3,803	1,975	0	1,828	145	0	0	0	0
<u>Florida</u>	25,410	24,399	22,895	684	820	0	1,011	0	1,011	0
Lake Okeechobee	7,802	7,001	6,256	300	445	0	801	0	801	0
Central Ridge	7,579	7,530	7,530	0	0	0	49	0	49	0
Tampa Bay	2,837	2,837	2,762	0	75	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	7,192	7,031	6,347	384	300	0	161	0	161	0
<u>Georgia</u>	44,780	44,780	44,740	40	0	0	0	0	0	0
Savannah River	5,350	5,350	5,350	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	39,430	39,430	39,390	40	0	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Maine</u>	10,892	9,203	9,092	0	111	22	1,689	0	0	1,689
Aroostook County	8,330	6,705	6,705	0	0	0	1,625	0	0	1,625
Other areas	1,085	1,021	960	0	61	22	64	0	0	64

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<u>Maryland</u>	6,245	6,235	4,517	186	1,532	114	10	0	10	0
<u>Massachusetts</u>	11,324	10,751	9,597	20	1,134	548	573	0	550	23
<u>New Hampshire</u>	2,500	2,231	1,920	0	311	64	269	0	39	230
<u>New Jersey</u>	15,655	15,615	7,611	104	7,900	1,800	40	0	40	0
<u>New York</u>	<u>37,210</u>	<u>36,840</u>	<u>11,949</u>	<u>4,531</u>	<u>20,360</u>	<u>2,867</u>	<u>370</u>	0	370	0
Rochester	12,810	12,810	3,490	3,445	5,875	600	0	0	0	0
Other areas	24,400	24,030	8,459	1,086	14,485	2,267	370	0	370	0
<u>North Carolina</u>	<u>99,915</u>	<u>99,915</u>	<u>93,855</u>	<u>1,595</u>	<u>4,465</u>	0	0	0	0	0
Elizabeth City	4,500	4,500	4,300	0	200	0	0	0	0	0
Washington	9,275	9,275	9,100	100	75	0	0	0	0	0
Greenville	2,100	2,100	2,100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mount Olive	31,030	31,030	30,630	100	300	0	0	0	0	0
Winston-Salem	25,715	25,715	21,975	1,350	2,390	0	0	0	0	0
Lamberton	8,550	8,550	8,550	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	18,745	18,745	17,200	45	1,500	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Pennsylvania</u>	19,949	19,949	13,666	1,130	5,153	628	0	0	0	0
<u>South Carolina</u>	<u>34,120</u>	<u>34,120</u>	<u>34,010</u>	0	<u>110</u>	0	0	0	0	0
Upper Piedmont	1,710	1,710	1,710	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	32,410	32,410	32,300	0	110	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Vermont</u>	1,425	1,315	1,105	25	185	0	110	0	0	110
<u>Virginia</u>	<u>9,638</u>	<u>9,141</u>	<u>6,436</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>2,670</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>497</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>497</u>	<u>0</u>
Eastern Shore-										
Norfolk	3,100	3,100	2,000	0	1,100	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	6,538	6,041	4,436	35	1,570	0	497	0	497	0

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<u>North Central</u>	151,074	148,056	84,077	10,615	53,364	36	3,018	2,356	662	0
<u>Illinois</u>	8,239	8,126	2,897	259	4,970	0	113	113	0	0
<u>Indiana</u>	12,083	11,484	2,381	0	9,103	16	599	160	439	0
<u>Iowa</u>	5,747	5,747	4,940	0	807	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Kansas</u>	<u>20,400</u>	<u>20,341</u>	<u>13,991</u>	<u>3,500</u>	<u>2,850</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>59</u>	<u>59</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Plains	15,000	15,000	10,000	3,000	2,000	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	5,400	5,341	3,991	500	850	0	59	59	0	0
<u>Michigan</u>	<u>38,784</u>	<u>37,049</u>	<u>19,822</u>	<u>3,190</u>	<u>14,037</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1,735</u>	<u>1,663</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>0</u>
Benton Harbor	11,668	11,618	3,316	602	7,700	0	50	50	0	0
Muskegon	3,990	3,757	1,922	615	1,220	0	233	233	0	0
Manistee	2,471	2,306	1,545	160	601	0	165	165	0	0
Traverse City	1,025	914	809	60	45	0	111	111	0	0
Bay City	5,175	4,062	2,716	200	1,146	0	1,113	1,104	9	0
Lansing	3,300	3,293	1,400	593	1,300	12	7	0	7	0
Upper Peninsula	4,050	4,050	4,050	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	7,105	7,049	4,064	960	2,025	0	56	0	56	0
<u>Minnesota</u>	3,612	3,442	3,132	71	239	0	170	39	131	0
<u>Missouri</u>	<u>9,525</u>	<u>9,525</u>	<u>7,675</u>	<u>1,550</u>	<u>300</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Bootheel	9,525	9,525	7,675	1,550	300	0	0	0	0	0

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<u>Nebraska</u>	<u>2,702</u>	<u>2,702</u>	<u>2,492</u>	<u>87</u>	<u>123</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Sugar Beet and Vegetable	320	320	211	38	71	0	0	0	0	0
<u>North Dakota</u>	10,925	10,925	4,610	1,422	4,893	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Ohio</u>	<u>31,798</u>	<u>31,798</u>	<u>17,939</u>	<u>461</u>	<u>13,398</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Northwest	15,723	15,723	3,656	236	11,831	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	16,075	16,075	14,283	225	1,567	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Wisconsin</u>	<u>7,259</u>	<u>6,917</u>	<u>4,198</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>2,644</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>342</u>	<u>322</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>0</u>
East Central	4,325	3,983	2,264	5	1,714	3	342	322	20	0
Other areas	2,934	2,934	1,934	70	930	5	0	0	0	0
<u>South Central</u>	359,278	335,590	<u>311,659</u>	20,576	3,355	0	23,688	23,682	6	0
<u>Alabama</u>	<u>24,475</u>	<u>24,475</u>	<u>23,830</u>	<u>610</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Opelika	8,755	8,755	8,110	610	35	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Arkansas</u>	<u>36,964</u>	<u>33,431</u>	<u>32,981</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>350</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>3,533</u>	<u>3,533</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Upper Mississippi River Delta Cotton	16,391	15,568	15,518	0	50	0	823	823	0	0
St. Frances-Cache River Cotton	7,200	5,000	4,650	50	300	0	2,200	2,200	0	0
Central Mississippi River Delta Cotton	4,210	3,700	3,700	0	0	0	510	510	0	0
Black River Cotton	800	800	800	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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<u>Western</u>	348,971	267,642	182,893	42,445	42,304	0	81,329	80,039	0	1,290
<u>Arizona</u>	15,508	12,133	10,670	580	883	0	3,375	3,375	0	0
Maricopa	8,760	6,682	6,082	175	425	0	2,078	2,078	0	0
Yuma	1,960	1,100	900	125	75	0	860	860	0	0
Cochise	696	358	300	50	8	0	338	338	0	0
Other areas	4,092	3,993	3,713	355	375	0	99	99	0	0
<u>California</u>	240,600	167,600	117,150	35,000	15,450	0	73,000	71,710	0	1,290
Desert	5,300	3,050	2,700	250	100	0	2,250	2,170	0	0
South Coast	26,100	15,150	13,100	1,150	900	0	10,950	9,880	0	0
Central Coast	40,900	20,100	11,200	5,900	3,000	0	20,800	20,660	0	0
North Coast	7,900	7,900	3,500	2,750	1,650	0	0	0	0	0
San Joaquin Valley	118,200	98,400	72,350	19,000	7,050	0	19,800	19,800	0	0
Sacramento Valley	42,200	23,000	14,300	5,950	2,750	0	19,200	19,200	0	0
<u>Colorado</u>	15,740	12,989	6,832	1,438	4,719	0	2,751	2,751	0	0
San Luis Valley	4,025	2,892	1,300	400	1,192	0	1,133	1,133	0	0
Arkansas Valley	2,939	1,972	1,018	238	716	0	967	967	0	0
Northern Colorado	6,404	5,976	3,005	550	2,421	0	428	428	0	0
Other Areas	2,372	2,149	1,509	250	390	0	223	223	0	0
<u>Idaho</u>	10,432	10,432	5,243	735	4,454	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Montana</u>	5,689	5,689	2,965	1,365	1,359	0	0	0	0	0
So. Sugar Beet	985	985	550	200	235	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	4,704	4,704	2,415	1,165	1,124	0	0	0	0	0
<u>Nevada</u>	541	536	217	125	194	0	5	5	0	0

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<u>New Mexico</u>	<u>4,396</u>	<u>2,878</u>	<u>1,882</u>	<u>486</u>	<u>510</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1,518</u>	<u>1,518</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Hobbs	553	350	230	10	110	0	203	203	0	0
Las Cruces	1,565	932	642	10	280	0	633	633	0	0
Rosewell	692	375	375	0	0	0	317	317	0	0
Other areas	1,586	1,221	635	466	120	0	365	365	0	0
<u>Oregon</u>	<u>23,467</u>	<u>23,230</u>	<u>16,235</u>	<u>885</u>	<u>6,110</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>237</u>	<u>237</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Williamette Valley	18,365	18,365	14,395	320	3,650	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	5,102	4,865	1,840	565	2,460	0	237	237	0	0
<u>Utah</u>	<u>9,457</u>	<u>9,014</u>	<u>7,013</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>1,931</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>443</u>	<u>443</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
<u>Washington</u>	<u>23,141</u>	<u>23,141</u>	<u>14,686</u>	<u>1,761</u>	<u>6,694</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Northwestern	1,650	1,650	1,355	50	245	0	0	0	0	0
South Central	8,038	8,038	4,054	601	3,383	0	0	0	0	0
North Central	2,419	2,419	1,112	494	813	0	0	0	0	0
West Central	5,884	5,884	4,334	116	1,434	0	0	0	0	0
Other areas	5,150	5,150	3,831	500	819	0	0	0	0	0

1/ Agricultural areas selected for inclusion are those areas in which a peak of at least 10,000 seasonal hired workers or 1,000 foreign workers was reached in 1961 as reported in In-Season Farm Labor Reports, ES-223. Data for each area satisfying these criteria are presented monthly in this appendix. However, areas are omitted during months for which they are not required to submit ES-223 reports. Such reports are not required for periods in which fewer than 500 seasonal farm workers are employed unless higher employment will be resumed after a "lay-by" period, foreign workers are employed, or specified shortages or surpluses of seasonal hired farm workers exist. Figures are preliminary and subject to revision.

2/ The number of contract Puerto Rican workers is a subtotal of interstate migrant workers.